

Scottsdale City Government Overview



Simply Better Service for a World-Class Community

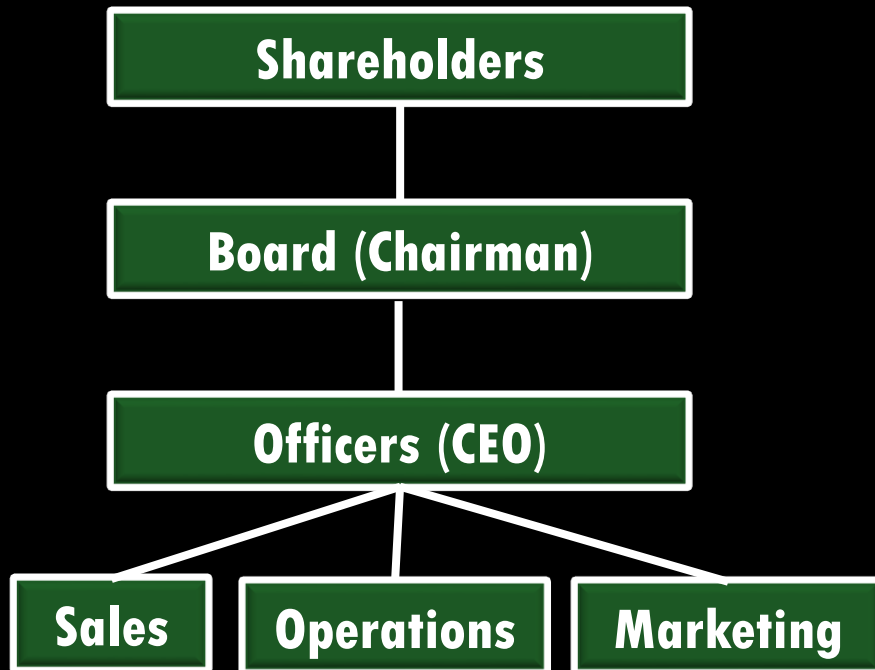




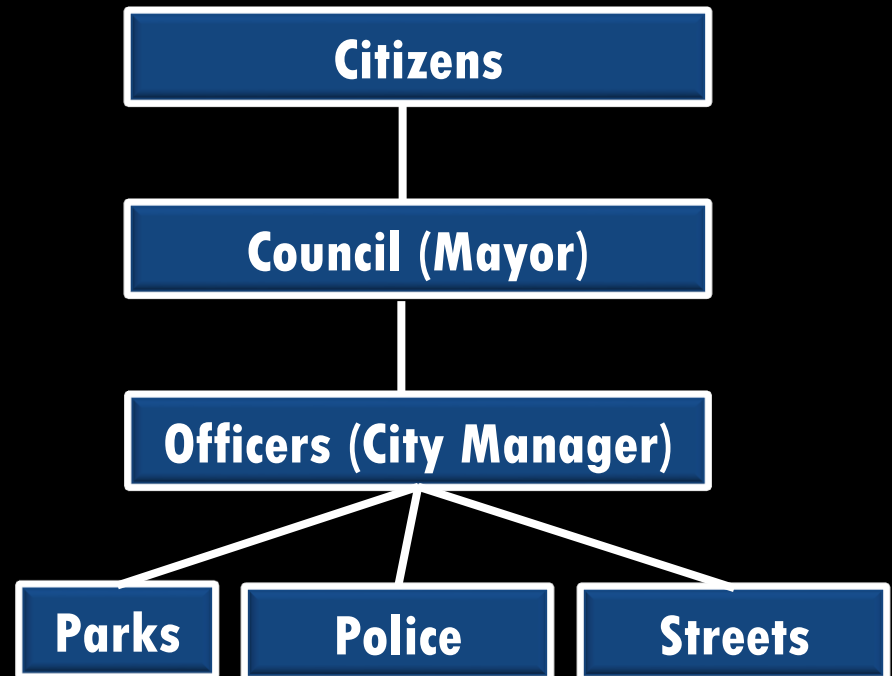
“The municipal government provided by this charter shall be known as the **council manager form of government.”**

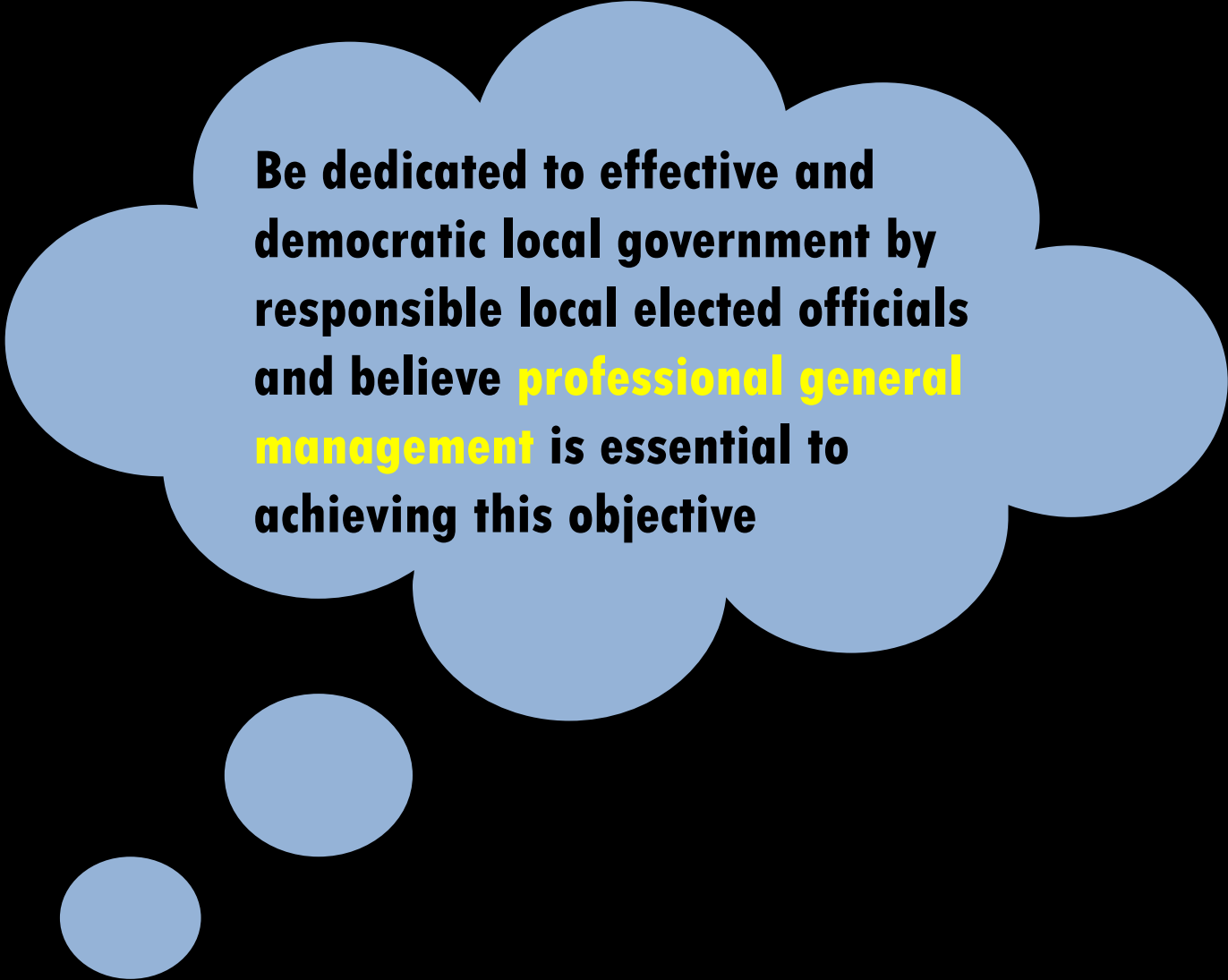


Corporate Model



Council-Manager Form of Government






Be dedicated to effective and democratic local government by responsible local elected officials and believe **professional general management is essential to achieving this objective**

Key thoughts from the ICMA Code of Ethics... PROFESSIONALISM



**Demonstrate by word and action
the **highest standards of ethical
conduct** in all relationships to
merit trust and respect**

Key thoughts from the ICMA Code of Ethics... INTEGRITY



**Recognize that the chief
function of local government at
all times is to serve the best
interests of all people**

Key thoughts from the ICMA Code of Ethics... SERVICE



Scottsdale City Council

Charter Officers



Bruce Washburn
City Attorney



Sharron Walker
City Auditor



Carolyn Jagger
City Clerk



Jim Thompson
City Manager



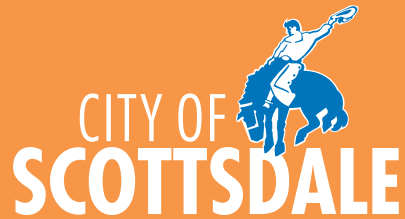
Jeff Nichols
City Treasurer



Joseph Olcavage
City Judge



**Set Policy
Adopt Ordinances**



**Administer and Enforce
Policy and Ordinances**



1 Mayor
6 Council Members
6 Appointed Officers

Scottsdale's
238,000
Citizens are
Served by

• **163** Board and
Commission Members

• **546** Part-time
Employees

• **2,165** Full-time
Employees

● **5,346** Volunteers

Citizens of Scottsdale

Mayor & City Council

Boards, Commissions & Task Forces

City Attorney

City Auditor

City Clerk

City Manager

City Treasurer

Presiding Judge

Civil

Prosecution

Victim
Services

Accounting

City Court

Budget

Business
Services

Finance

Risk
Management

Public Safety

Police

Fire

Administrative
Services

Communications

Human
Resources

Information
Technology

Purchasing

Community &
Economic
Development

Airport

Economic
Development

Planning &
Development

Tourism &
Events

Transportation

WestWorld

Community
Services

Human
Services

Libraries

Parks &
Recreation

Preserves

Public Works

Capital
Projects

Facilities

Fleet

Solid
Waste

Street
Operations

Water

Pipeline &
Treatment
Agreements

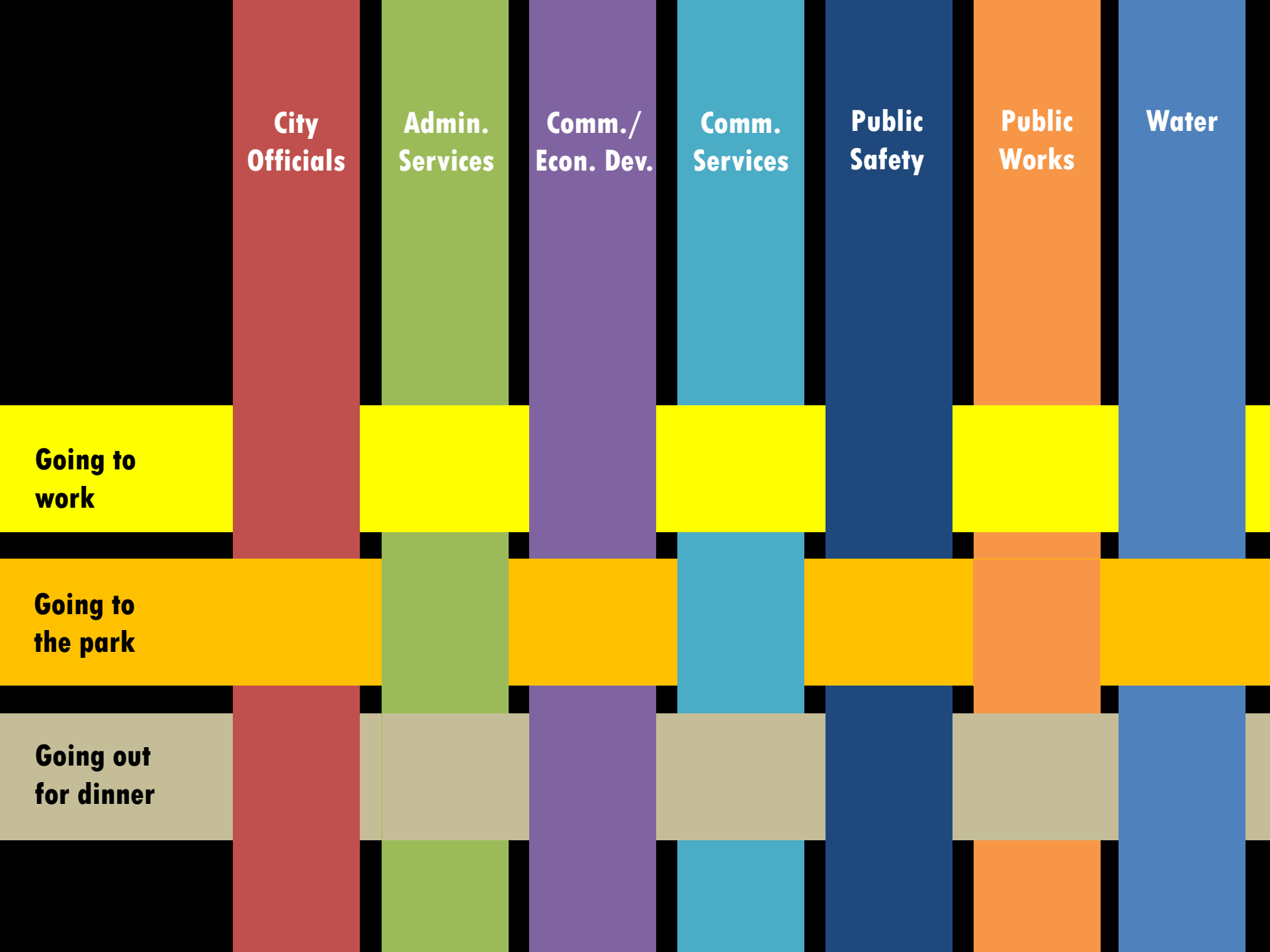
Planning &
Engineering

Reclamation
Services

Technology &
Admin

Water
Quality

Water
Services



**City
Officials**

**Admin.
Services**

**Comm./
Econ. Dev.**

**Comm.
Services**

**Public
Safety**

**Public
Works**

Water

**Going to
work**

**Going to
the park**

**Going out
for dinner**

Where do Scottsdale City Employees work?



Scottsdale Employee Values

- Be Accountable & Act with Integrity
- Focus on Quality Customer Service
- Respect the Individual
- Plan and Innovate for the Future
- Listen, Communicate, Take Action
- Collaborate as a Team
- Learn & Grow Continuously
- Show Caring & Compassion For Others



City of
Scottsdale
Char

City of
Scottsdale
Charter



Adopted By The
Voters of The
City of Scottsdale
at a Special Election
Held October 31, 1961

APPROVED BY
Gov. Paul J. Fannin
NOVEMBER 15, 1961

Scottsdale, Arizona



SCOTTSDALE, ARIZONA

Amended

CHARTER

Amended, August 1, 1988

The City Charter

Defines the city's powers and functions.

Sets the governance structure including seven elected officials: Mayor and 6 Councilmembers

And six city officers: City Attorney, City Auditor, City Clerk, City Judge, City Manager, City Treasurer

Amending or modifying the charter requires a public vote.

<http://www.scottsdaleaz.gov/council/charter>

Sec. 2-7. Reserved.

Editor's note—Ord. No. 3249, § 1, adopted Aug. 16, 1999, repealed §§ 2-7, 2-8 in their entirety. Formerly, said sections pertained to qualified elector definition and petition circulators. See the Code Comparative Table.

Secs. 2-8—2-15. Reserved.**ARTICLE II. CITY COUNCIL****DIVISION 1. GENERALLY****Sec. 2-16. Mayor.**

The mayor shall sign all orders, together with warrants, drawn on the treasury. He shall execute all bonds, deeds, leases, conveyances, and all other instruments authorized by the council and requiring his signature. In addition to the requirements of this section, he shall perform such other duties as may be required of him by law. (Code 1972, § 2-301)

Charter references—Mayor generally, art. 2, §§ 3, 6, 7; mayor authorized to sign contracts, art. 8, § 1.

Sec. 2-17. Date and time of regular meetings.

The council holds regular meetings at 5:00 p.m. on the first and third Tuesday of each month. The mayor or four (4) members of the council may schedule additional regular meetings, or may cancel or reschedule any regularly scheduled meeting to any day or time of the same month, but not less than two (2) regular meetings shall be held each month. At the discretion of the mayor or four (4) members of the council, regular meetings that are scheduled to be conducted on consecutive days may be combined and held on either of the two (2) days, and shall be considered a single meeting.

Special meetings of the council may be scheduled by the city clerk at either the request of the mayor or four (4) members of the council.

A notice of regular meeting changes or scheduled special meetings shall be posted as required by law. (Code 1972, § 2-201; Ord. No. 2270, § 1, 11-6-89; Ord. No. 2499, § 1, 11-2-92; Ord. No. 3660, § 1, 12-13-05; Ord. No. 3967, § 1, 9-20-11)

Charter reference—Council meetings generally, art. 2, § 12 et seq.

Sec 2-18. Rules of Council Procedure.

Unless otherwise provided by law, the council, by majority vote, shall adopt a resolution setting forth Rules of Council Procedure. The process for amending these Rules shall also be by resolution. (Code 1972, § 2-201; Ord. No. 3967, § 2, 9-20-11)

Charter reference—Public meetings required, art. 2, § 12.

State law reference—When closed meetings authorized, A.R.S. § 38-431.02.

Secs. 2-19—2-23. Reserved.

Editor's note—Ord. No. 3967, § 3, adopted September 20, 2011, repealed §§ 2-19—2-23, which pertained to agenda; introduction and sponsorship of ordinances, resolutions, etc. review of ordinances, resolutions, etc., by city attorney and city manager; voting; and committees. See also the Code Comparative Table.

Secs. 2-24—2-35. Reserved.**DIVISION 2. RESERVED*****Secs. 2-36—2-46. Reserved.****DIVISION 3. CODE OF ETHICAL BEHAVIOR: GENERAL****Sec. 2-47. Definitions.**

The following words, terms and phrases, when used in divisions 3 and 4 of this article of the Code shall have the meanings ascribed to them in this section, except where the context clearly indicates a different meaning:

City official means the mayor, members of the city council, and individuals appointed to serve on the city's boards, commissions, committees, task forces, and other appointed advisory groups.

City of Scottsdale Code of Ethical Behavior means the provisions set forth in divisions 3 and 4 of this article.

Ethics code means the City of Scottsdale Code of Ethical Behavior. (Ord. No. 3675, § 1, 5-2-06)

*Ord. No. 3967, § 3, adopted September 20, 2011, repealed Div. 2, §§ 2-36—2-244, which pertained to rules of order. See also the Code Comparative Table.

City Code

Collection of ordinances adopted by the City Council

27 Chapters and two Appendices the Zoning Ordinance and the Tax Code

Referred to as Scottsdale Revised Code or City Code

Does not include Resolutions, which are statements of policy or direction

Go to ScottsdaleAZ.gov, search “City Code”

JENNY LYNN

CIRCLE MOUNTAIN

HONDA BOW

ROCKAWAY HILLS

DESERT HILLS

JOY RANCH

STAGECOACH PASS

CAREFREE HWY.

DOVE VALLEY

LONE MOUNTAIN

DIXILETA

DYNAMITE

JOMAX

HAPPY VALLEY

PINNACLE PEAK

DEER VALLEY

BEARDSLEY

OUTER LOOP

UNION HILLS

BELL RD./FRANK LLOYD

WRIGHT BLVD.

GREENWAY RD.

THUNDERBIRD RD.

CACTUS RD.

SHEA BLVD.

DOUBLE TREE RANCH RD.

McCORMICK PKWY.

INDIAN BEND RD.

McDONALD DR.

CHAPARRAL/CAMELBACK RD.

CAMELBACK RD.

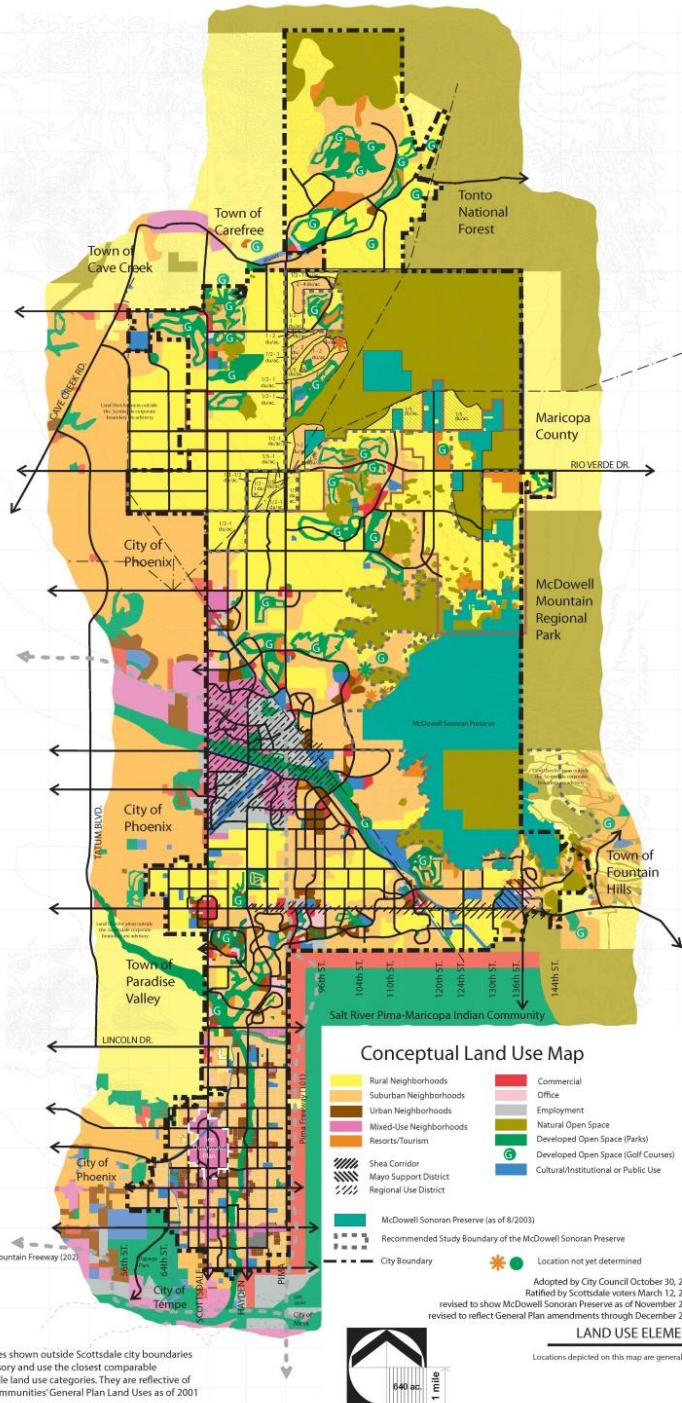
INDIAN SCHOOL RD.

THOMAS

McDOWELL RD.

McKELLIPS RD.

Land Uses shown outside Scottsdale city boundaries are advisory and use the closest comparable Scottsdale land use categories. They are reflective of other communities' General Plan Land Uses as of 2001



The General Plan

More than just a map, the General Plan is a voter-approved statement of goals and policies that work as the primary tool for guiding the future development of the city.

City of Scottsdale General Plan 2001



<http://www.scottsdaleaz.gov/generalplan>



**Value
Scottsdale's
Unique Lifestyle
and Character**



**Advance
Transportation**



**Seek
Sustainability**



**Support
Economic
Vitality**



**Preserve
Meaningful
Open Space**



**Enhance
Neighborhoods**

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Mayor and City Council Priorities



Revitalize McDowell
Road corridor through
ongoing work with residents,
businesses & SkySong



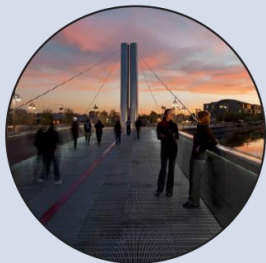
Anticipate and plan for future
transportation needs



Provide strategic support of
tourism and
visitor events



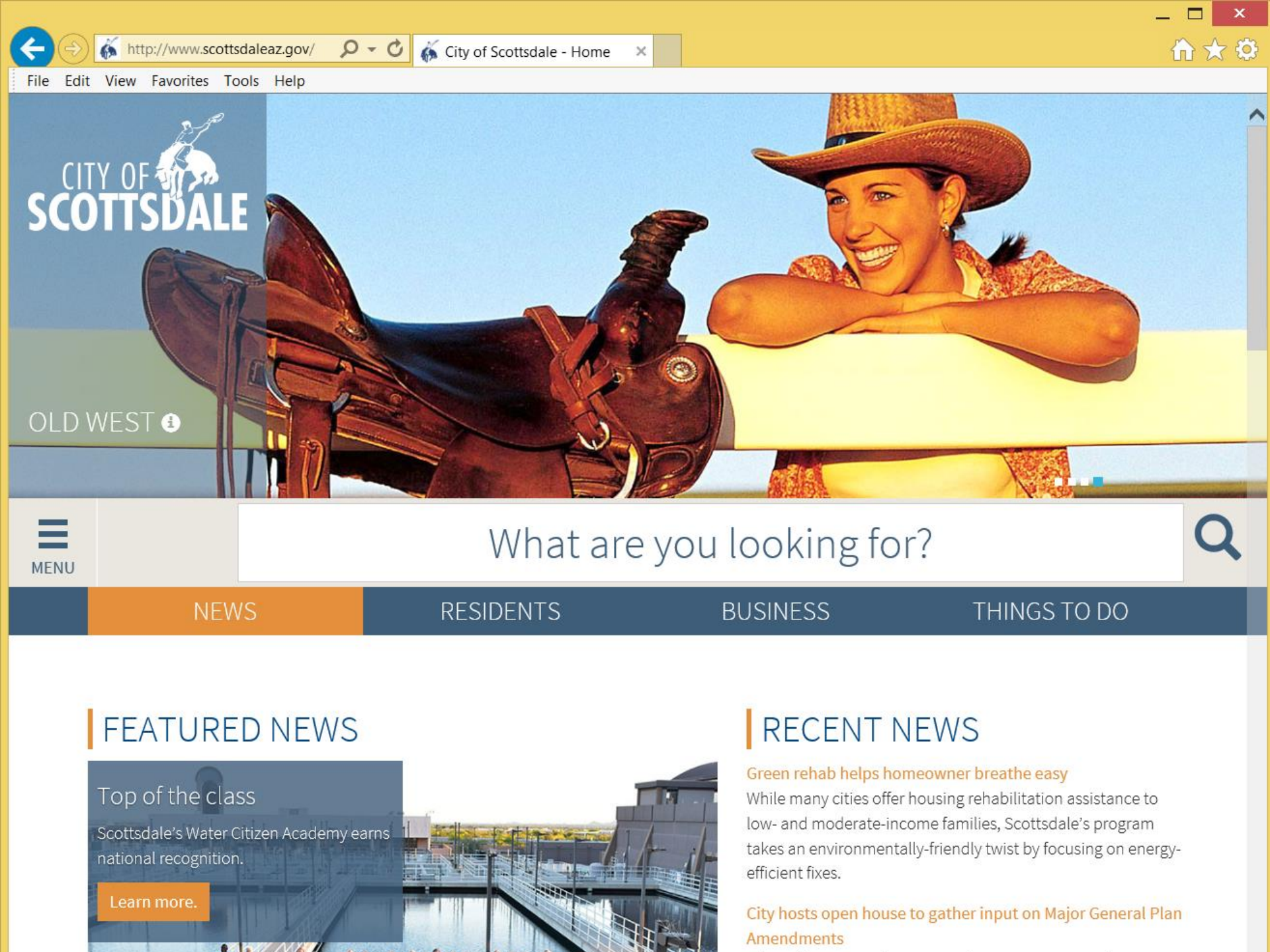
Prepare and adopt **fiscally**
sustainable operating
and capital budgets



Carry out the comprehensive
economic
development strategy



Reinvest in a
high performance
organization and work
culture



What are you looking for?

FEATURED NEWS

Top of the class

Scottsdale's Water Citizen Academy earns national recognition.

Learn more.

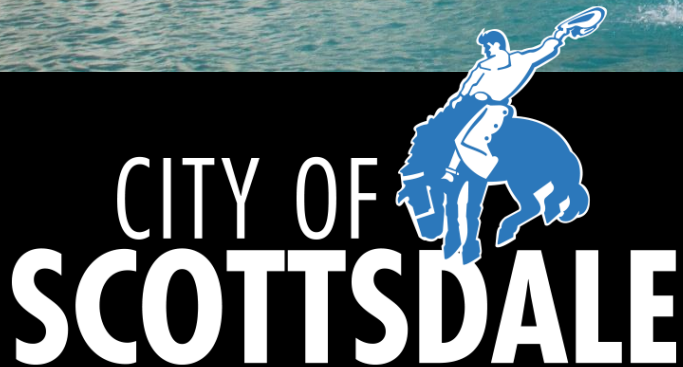


RECENT NEWS

Green rehab helps homeowner breathe easy

While many cities offer housing rehabilitation assistance to low- and moderate-income families, Scottsdale's program takes an environmentally-friendly twist by focusing on energy-efficient fixes.

City hosts open house to gather input on Major General Plan Amendments



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